Mr. U. C. Subrahmanya Bhatt :—" Will the Hon. the Home Member be pleased to call for the report, if any, made by the Police of South Kanara to the District Magistrate ? "

The Hon. Sir Mahomed Usman :—" I do not think there is any necessity for it. If my hon. Friend brings to the notice of the Government any instance where he thinks there has been gambling, I am prepared to inquire into the matter."

Mr. Sami Venkatachalam Chetti :—" Are the Government aware that the land opposite to the Moore Market is being leased out for the purpose ? "

The Hon. Sir Mahomed Usman :—" Is it by the Corporation ? "

Mr. Sami Venkatachalam Chetti :—" Not at all. The land was recently alienated in favour of the Government for the construction of quarters for the officers of the General Hospital ? "

The Hon. Sir Mahomed Usman :—" I must ask for notice of the question."

Mr. C. Basu Dev :—" May I ask if the Government are aware that in that very show, even games of skill are being prohibited by the Deputy Commissioner of Police on the ground that there is an element of chance in them ? "

The Hon. Sir Mahomed Usman :—" I am very thankful to the hon. Member for the information."

Regulation of Professional Qualifications and Standards

Applications received in 1933 *from Medical men for registration under the Medical Registration Amendment Act of* 1932.

* 729 *Q.*—Mr. M. Devadasan : Will the Hon. the Home Member be pleased to state whether applications were received by the Surgeon-General of Madras under the Medical Registration Amendment Act of 1932, for the registration of medical men in 1933 ; if so, how many ; and how many of them have been registered ?

A.—No such applications were received.

Administration of Justice

File on the Original Side of the High Court, Madras, for the quinquennium 1922–26.

* 730 *Q.*—Mr. Basheer Ahmed Sayeed : Will the Hon. the Law Member be pleased to state—

(*a*) what the number of judges and officers exercising judicial functions on the original side of the High Court was prior to the year 1926 with the designation of each of the officers so exercising original judicial functions ;

(*b*) what the number of suits, petitions and applications filed was and the number disposed of in each of the years 1923, 1924, 1925 and 1926 on the original side of the High Court, Madras ; and